You Can Do It!

The ability to believe in yourself. To work independently and have an optimistic outlook and recognise making mistakes as part of authentic learning.

“Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire.” – W.B. Yeats

Hello Families!

Another amazing week of student success at Boolaroo Public! Congratulations to all of our zone athletics representatives – not only did you do us proud competing; I was also very impressed with the wonderful sportsmanship with the students cheering for each other in all of the events. An especially big congratulations to Lachlan who will be representing our school and the Westlakes Zone this Friday at Regionals, we are very proud of you.

What an exciting day the children had on our Lego excursion on Monday. The children were abuzz with excitement for all they had seen on the day. I’m sure it was very quiet in most homes that night, judging on how exhausted everyone was when they stepped off the bus.

To celebrate Book and Education week for Public Schools NSW, we had a lovely day yesterday. We were pleased to welcome families into our classes to see what the children have been doing. Enjoyed our choirs performance as always and we appreciate all the people that visited our book fair. Thank you to all the students who dressed up and were part of the parade and thank you to the parents who attended and helped us celebrate our great school. It was great to see everyone get into the spirit of the week.

A very big welcome to our new families and their children Payton, Ella and David we hope you’ve enjoyed your time with us so far. One of our new students has a severe nut allergy, so we are asking for your help. The staff would greatly appreciate it, if you are mindful when packing your child’s lunch and do not include any nut products such as peanut butter, nutella etc in lunches.

Our anticipated numbers for 2016 have been submitted to the Department of Education to allow for the necessary resources to be planned. We request that the school be notified should there be any changes to family circumstances for next year and if you know of any families in the area that are still undecided about schooling for 2016, please invite them to visit the school as we are always happy to welcome new local enrolments.

Louise Wrightson
Principal
DATES TO REMEMBER:
Monday 31st August
Face Painting & Yr 6 Disco
Thursday 3rd September
FATHERS DAY STALL
Wednesday 16th September
  P & C Disco
Friday 18th September
  Last Day Term 3
Tuesday 6th October
  Students return from
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

PROCEDURES FOR LATE ARRIVALS
AND EARLY DEPARTURES
After reviewing current practice it has been decided that Parents need
to take students via the Office when arriving after the commencement
of class. The Office will issue the student with a slip to take to the
Class Teacher.
When collecting students for an early departure, Parents are asked to
go to the Office to collect a slip to take to the Class Teacher before
taking students from class.

IRON HORSE INN
We have discount cards available at the Front Office for dining at the Iron
Horse Inn at Cardiff. When dining at the Iron Horse Inn families are given a
10% discount on ALL food which in turn goes towards a rebate for the
school.
The school has received $200 to date through this sponsorship rebate pro-
gram. This money is being used to pay for the last excursion of the year - a
trip to the Boolaroo Cinema.
Please help us promote the IRON HORSE, it is a great fundraiser. A card
can be obtained from the Office for family as well as friends of families of
ALL students.

PAYMENT REMINDERS
Progress payments for the YEAR 5/6 SYDNEY EXCURSION are as follows:
DUE NOW: Deposit of $20.00
1st Progress Payment of $70.00 due Thursday 27th August
2nd Progress Payment of $70.00 due Thursday 10th September
3rd Progress Payment of $70.00 due Thursday 8th October
Final Payment of $70.00 due Thursday 22nd October
Progress Payments for the MORISSET CAMP need to be finalised in relation
to previous correspondence.
Payments should have already been received for the total amount of
$100.00.
If you still have amounts owing for the above excursion could you please
make them as soon as possible

VOLUNTEERS
All people who volunteer at Boolaroo Public School must visit the
office to sign a Declaration for Volunteers and provide 100 points of
identification and also to sign in the visitors book.
If you volunteer in the classrooms, canteen, providing transport etc.
and have not provided these details please see the ladies in the of-
ice. This is a requirement of the Department of Education.

SCHOOL BANKING
There will be NO
SCHOOL BANKING
from Monday 7th Sep-
tember until the end of
Term. Banking will re-
sume first week back of
Term 4.
The position of School
Banking Co-ordinator is vacant and requires a
commitment of 1 hour per week.
Please contact the Office
or Karen McCraw our
P&C President if you
may be able to help out.
PLEASE DON’T FORGET

MONDAY 31ST AUGUST

We are holding an out of uniform, face-painting, disco day to raise money for the Year 6 end-of-year farewell on Monday.

A gold coin donation for each item is required if the student wishes to participate. Students are to arrive at school out of uniform with the disco beginning after lunch.

Hope all students can join us in a fun filled day.

Congratulations to all our Zone Athletics participants (pictured below) on a great effort over the two day carnival last Friday and Monday, you did Boolaroo Public School proud. Your sportsmanship is to be commended. We wish Lachlan all the best at Regionals this Friday.
Woolies Earn and Learn Stickers…..

YES, YES, YES we have registered. Please ask your family and friends to collect the Woolies Earn and Learn stickers. Place the stickers on the sheet and return to our school collection box in the front foyer when your card is full. This promotion is only operating for 6 weeks so the more people who are able to help us the better the outcomes for our children.

WESTLAKES ATHLETIC CLUB INC.

REEGISTRATIONS: Tuesday 25th and Friday 28th August
Tuesday 1st and Friday 4th September

VENUE: Wangi Oval

TIME: 5PM TO 7PM

New registrations need to bring birth identification when registering. Enter on line, print out form and bring with you with payment. Web site: www.westlakeslac.org.au

Re registrations do the same as above but put in your last year’s rego No.

COMPETITION: First night 12th September at 6pm
Phone: 0409668419 or 0421244890

SCHOOL READINESS PROGRAM
Mums’ Cottage is proud to offer a seminar to assist parents
As their child begins kinder or Year 7 in 2016.
Both milestones require significant preparation and adjustment.
This presentation aims to provide information to do this.

Details
DATE Tuesday 8th September
VENUE Mums’ Cottage — 29 St Helen St, Holmeville.
TIME 10am — noon
FORMAT Input, Discussion, Questions, Cuppa
LEGGO EXCURSION